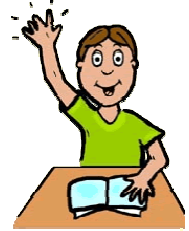




# Succeed in Math:

## 1. In class – active participation

- Pay attention when the teacher is instructing the class. Copy notes carefully. **Ask questions** as needed. Participate!
- Complete the practice questions assigned in class. Ask questions as needed. Correct your answers.
- Use your agenda. As soon as work is assigned or important dates are mentioned, note them.
- Start the homework questions in class. Correct them. Ask questions as needed.



## 2. After class – complete and correct all the homework

- Finish the homework to practice independently.
- **Check the answers** to continue your learning.  
(*Correcting lets you see your successes and also to your difficulties*). Check answers to make sure that you know how to do the questions correctly. **You don't want to leave mistakes in your work (and then make the same mistakes on the test!)**
- Find the mistakes and try those questions again.
- Make note of your challenges.- *you might want to practice those ones a little more.*
- **Keep at it**. The more you work at a question to come up with the answer, the stronger the learning! **Don't give up – you can do it!**



Hang in there -  
it'll be worth it!

## Homework – Complete at school and/or home

- You can do homework at **school** with a **friend** and/or in the **math help** room at lunch
- You can do homework at home. **If you need help:**
  - Look in the **textbook**, in your **notes**
  - Watch **Kelvin Math department videos**  
<http://kelvinmathdepartment.wikispaces.com/>
  - Look at the links in *Mme Whicker's wiki*  
<https://pwhicker.wikispaces.com/>
  - Look on the **Internet** (notes and videos) *Cherche de l'aide à l'internet (notes et vidéos)*



**We do math homework for the same reasons as practicing an instrument or a sport.. to:**

- **Use** your new knowledge and skills
- **Reinforce and check understanding of new concepts learned**
- Help improve your **speed, understanding, efficiency, and confidence.**

✍ It's working hard, perseverance, determination, never giving up – you will see results – quicker than you'd ever thought.

**To get better at Math, act like someone who loves Math: spend more time thinking about and working on Math.**

**Effort is rewarded. ☺**

The only place  
**Success**  
comes before  
**WORK**  
is in the dictionary

If you work hard, you can overcome your difficulties. ⚙

Not spending any time practicing math is sometimes linked to lower achievement ..☹

For high school math, inborn talent and intelligence is much less important than **hard work, preparation, and self-confidence.**